Humorous Department.

A Fatalist.

Commander Peary was talking in New York about the luck he would News and Comment Gleaned From have in reaching the Pole with the

Roosevelt. "They say you are a fatalist," said a reporter. "They say that you believe you are fated to find the Pole before you die.

The explorer laughed. "If I am a fatalist," he said, " I assure you my fatalism is of the work- event in Rock Hill this week was the ing and strenuous kind-like that of marrage of Mr. Eugene C. Gwaltney of

the days of Indian warfare. He was a J. B. Johnson. The ceremony was perfatalist of a pronounced type; never- formed at the home of the charming theless, he would not venture forth bride's parents. Miss Johnson, that part of the great work of deep waterwithout his blunderbuss.

it was brought back.

"But, Abe, I thought you were a fatalist?' said a friend.

'So I am,' the old man answered. "'Then why bother about your blunderbuss?' taunted the friend. 'You are as in Kershaw who were shocked and in no danger from the Indians, since grieved to hear of her untimely passing you can't possibly die till your time away. Mrs. Williams was a daughter

"'Yes,' said the old man. 'But suptime had come. It wouldn't do for me not to have any blunderbuss, would it?" "-Philadelphia Record.

ners is an irrepressible soul. Tact sell in a crowded hotel and pounced tist church, of which she was a mem upon him with reckless joviality. "Hello-o-o, Charley!" he cried. "How

the deuce are you, eh?" How's every

thing? How's Herb? How's"-Mr. Bissell was worried. He pined for decorum. At his side was Mr. Justice Brewer of the United States Exchange Bank to accept the position supreme court at Washington, reserved, silent, dignified. Mr. Bissell was inspired to use his majestic personality as a quencher of Fingy's exuberance. "Mr. Conners," he said, "let me pre-

sent you to Justice Brewer." "How's the health?" asked Fingy, giving the hand of the judge a perfunctory shake. Then, stepping back so as to afford more range to his glance of disapproval, he looked at Mr. Justice Brewer very coldly, and, turning to

"Say, Charley, I thought I was on to all the people you put on the bench. but I guess I'm in wrong somewhere. What court did you make him judge of?"-Harper's Weekly.

THE SUBALTERN'S RETORT.-Sir Ian Hamilton, who recently unveiled the casion to visit rather a large depot Gen. Hamilton found that these were rather wearlly to the officer, "You know this sort of thing will not do at all. given you for?" "I am sure I do not know, general," was the cheerful reply. "Since I came here I have worked sixteen hours a day and more. I have acted as mule teamster, porter, van guard, supply clerk, station master. orderly, room clerk, typist and a dozbeen endowed with brains I might have jobs as well, but as it is I must admit I am somewhat handicapped." Sir Ian Hamilton was forced to laugh, and himself attached to the general's persor al staff .- Tit-Bits.

ONLY A MISUNDERSTANDING .- Several years ago in a well known wholesale house in a big manufacturing town an old bachelor bookkeeper, who had been many years with the firm, suddenly announced that he was to be

iday, and his fellow clerks raised a little purse and presented it to pay the expenses of his wedding trip. A couple of days after the wedding

one of the members of the firm went down to a seaside resort, and there, lounging about the parade and apparently enjoying himself immensely, he port states that the amount of damage saw his recently married old bookkeeper, but alone. "Where's your wife?" asked the

principal. "She's at home," was the reply. "But I thought you had money giv-

en you for a wedding trip?" "So I had," was the reply, "but I didn't understand that it was intended to include her."-Pearson's Weekly.

IN THE CONGRESS OF THE FUTURE. The norrible member from the Third district of Arixico arose to address the "Air. Speaker," he said, "to revive an

ancient and obsolete slogan, I wish to say that the old question still confronts us- 'Shall the people rule?' "-Instantly a multitude of women, who

had packed the galleries, rose to their feet, waved banners and shouled: "They don't!"

"Haif of the people are disfranchis-

"Votes for women!" "Give us the ballot!" "We demand our rights!" "Suffrage for women!" "Give us the bailot!" "Votes for women!"

"Women demand their rights!" The speaker ordered the galleries cleared, but there were not enough men up in confusion and the honorable city hall Wednesday afternoon, at members fled for their lives. The American sunragette had broken

WANTED THE DRINK ANYWAY .- Tommy after going to bed became thirsty, or thought he did. He called out:

"Ma, I want a drink." The mother's voice answered back: "Tommy, you go to sleep." Tommy grunted, turned over, and was silent for ten minutes. Then again: Possibility of Sailing Far and Avoiding out at the top in the form of a flat-"Ma. I want a drink."

"Tommy, you go right to sleep," was the reply. Intense silence again for ten minutes. Ga., to a New York Telegram report-

"Say, ma, I want a drink." sleep I'll come and spank you."

two minutes. And then: "Say, ma, when you come to spank me, won't you bring me a drink?"- ity that some day a steamship will be speed clears 20 feet to 24 feet every able to start from Boston and enter bound.

Detroit News-Tribune.

Miscellancous Reading.

WITH NEIGHBORING EXCHANGES. Within and About the County. LANCASTER.

News, December 4: The laymen's rganization of the Methodist conference will have leaders in every district the coming year. The leader for the Rock Hill district is Mr. L. C. Lazenby of Lancaster A notable social Winnsboro, and Miss Marion Johnson, "Old Abe lived in New England in the beautiful daughter of Dr. and Mrs. was, has many friends and admirers in

"One day he had an important er- Lancaster, where she at one time rand, but the blunderbuss, when he taught music in the graded schools ... came to get it, was missing from the Mrs. Nannie Williams, wife of Mr. W. rack made of antlers where it always K. Williams of Kershaw, died suddenhung. Some one of his family had ly at her home Thursday afternoon taken it. Abe sat down to wait till She was sewing at her machine when stricken and it is thought that her death was caused by the rupture of a blood vessel. She was a most estimable Christian lady and had many friends and acquaintances here as well

of Mr. J. M. Beattle of Russel Place, and was about 40 years of age. Be pose I was to meet an Indian and his sides the venerable father and bereaved husband, she is survived by several children; also, by the following brothers and sisters: Mr. Archie Beattie of Camden, Mr. Thomas Beattle of Mc-MR. CONNERS TACTE L.-Fingy Con- Bee; Mrs. Charles Magill of Fort Mill and Miss Ella Beattle of Russel Place and he have nothing in common. A The remains of Mrs. Williams were few evenings ago he met Charles Bis- buried yesterday at Beaver Creek Bap-

ber for a number of years.

CHESTER. Lantern, December 4: Mr. B. M as assistant cashier of the National of cashier of the Bank of Maiden at Maiden, N. C. The resignation is to take effect January 1st The marriage of Miss Nettle Stricker to Mr. John H. Crawford took place on last Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sarah Stricker, on Pinckney street. In preparation for the event the house had been appropriately decorated, the parlor in pink and green and the dining room in red and green. Garlands of pink roses her day, and the supreme commercial fastened together with chiffon lead to an altar of ferns and potted plants in the parlor . . . Yesterday afternoon Mr. represented the most advanced stage Hazel Tire, a freight conductor on the of the art of transportation as it was Seaboard railroad, was brought in on hen known, and made possible the No. 52 and taken to the Magdalene development of her territory. So

nospital for treatment and Dr. Pryor strongly was this essential feature said this morning that he was resting recognized by her governing powers very well. Information as to how Mr. Manchester war memorial, and who Tire got hurt is meagre, but it seems has thirty-five years' military service that he was sitting in his caboose at a struction of roads to develop its trans to his credit, tells an amusing story of table writing in a freight train about a little incident that happened in South twenty miles this side of Atlanta when Africa while he was acting as chief of another train hit the caboose. The ta- for which figures are available, the Africa while he was acting as chief of ble was driven against Mr. Tire with number of acres in improved farm fiscal year 1908, without penalty; after ably. As far as known no other inmand. Going through certain papers juries were sustained by the rest of 000, and the value of all farm properthe crew.....Messrs. J. S. Booth, W. not quite in order, and at last said F. McCullough, M. Lee McKay and W. H. Newbold, the delegates from the Eut for the railroads there could have Chester Lodge of Odd Fellows, return- been nothing approaching this mar-

two meetings of the convention, one by the Fort Mill Lodge assisted by their auxiliaries, the Rebeccas. The railroads made available. address of welcome was delivered by en other things. I think if I had not Capt. Ardrey and the response was made by Dr. G. A. Neuffer of Abbeville. The next meeting will be held in Monarch of Plains Has Been Growing Winnsboro, the date to be announced later....Just as the Lantern was being printed this afternoon the livery shortly after the young officer found stable of Mr. John Frazer caught on farming plant of the southwest, says live stock was saved and a good many

writing just how the fire originated, horned toad could hardly exist. but it was reported that it caught from defective stove flue in the office The fire once started, made great head-The fire company responded way. the house and store of Capt. Warren well as the big light which hung in front of the stable were destroyed, the lamp breaking with a loud report. At this writing the fire is about under control and it is thought that no more damage will be done. A later re-

can't be told just at present but will probably run into the thousands of dollars. The ringing of the fire be drew a great crowd of people and the street and buildings in front of the

stable were black with the crowds. It was thought that the fire would spread and that considerable damage would be done. The livery stable of R. W. Crowder is just across the street and the store and house of Capt. Warren is on one side and the stable of Samuels Bros. on the other side of the burned district. But fortunately the fire was checked. The ruins are still smoulder ng and the department is still keepng the adjoining buildings wet as the Lantern goes to press, but no further

GASTON.

Gastonia Gazette, December 4: Mr A. C. Stroup is visiting the various sections of the county this week in the interest of the co-operative demonstration work of the department of agriculture. Last year he had 202 farmers in the county on his list and he expects to double the number this year. Many farmers who followed the methods recommended by the department the past season made from 50 to 100 per cent more than the same land had ever produced before The Gaston County Medical society held its regular monthly meeting for December at the which time the following officers were plant has practically no stem, sendelected for the ensuing year: Presi- ing out the thick, fleshy leaves from lent, Dr. T. C. Quickle, Stanley Creek; first vice president, Dr. R. H. Garren, Dr. J. H. Jenkins, Dallas; secretary and of leaves and soon grows to the treasurer, Dr. McG. Anders, Gastonia; height of from 20 to 40 feet. The tallensor, Dr. S. A. Wilkins, Gastonia.

CANAL SCHEMES.

Ocean Perils.

"The intercoastal canal project," rearked K. M. Gungman of Columbu er, "will take on considerable momentum after a big convention which "Tommy, if you don't go right to is to be held in Columbus, at which there will be present coal operators, More silence, this time for about lumbermen, iron manufacturers, en-

gineers and farmers.

the mouth of the Rio Grande river without exposing herself to the fury of the Atlantic or the Gulf of Mexico

or the attack of a hostile naval fleet. "This is to be done by a system of ntercoastal canals, joining existing bodies of water which can be utilized for the purpose. Already small vessels can sail from any Long Island Sound port to points in North Carolina without passing through any part of the ocean. The scheme suggested s much more ambitious, and if carried out will permit ships of deep draught to take much longer trips in similar manner

"The idea is by no means new. Its racticability has been considered for years and the canal, which would be of enormous value both for commerce and for national defense is in reality ways improvement that is under con-

ROADS AND WEALTH.

Cost of the Construction Necessary to Keep Up With Products.

There never was a like period i the history of railroad development of this country that demanded the enormous expenditures that are found necessary to provide the most urgen' ransportation facilities, as exists tolay in the case of the blg systems of the west, says American Industries. Money-millions of money-and nundreds of millions measured by the standard of a dollar, is the crying need of the artery-like transportation ystems that traverse the "empire of the west." There is a current of agricultoral and industrial activity exsting in the west at the present day hat surpasses anything appearing on he records of any other land. Folowing this development of its natural resources will come the era of manufacturing and in this it is impossible to prophesy the future. glance at the brief history of Omaha as a manufacturing city, and Seattle give them plenty of time to season—
as a shipping centre, forms the keynote of what may be accomplished
within the next score of vocas. The season of the seaso Spratt, J., has resigned his position as a manufacturing city, and Seattle within the next score of years. There are opportunities, in this land of opportunity, that attract and justify the expenditure of hundreds of millions to meet the growing needs of the

The transportation facilities of a omitry are, and always have been, the true test of the nation's commerial development. Rome was the greatest road builder in the world in power. Her highways, which are still the wonder of modern engineers, that with every territory subdued her irst act was to commence the con-

From 1850 to 1900, the last year from 113,000,000 to nearly 415,000,-What do you suppose your brains were ed yesterday morning from the district velous increase in the agricultural and after this date all unpaid taxes go convention in Fort Mill. There were wealth of the country, and these figures, of course, take no account of the Wednesday afternoon, and another that great fortunes that were built up in night. A splendid banquet was served supplying the demands of the people who populated the lands which the

GIANT CENTURY PLANT.

Many Years.

The cactus, the chief flora of the desert country, is the original dry fire and burned to the ground. All the the San Antonio Express. For years it has grown, bloomed and borne seed of the vehicles. It is not known at this in a waste of sand and rocks where a

But the cactus is not the only original desert plant that will grow without irrigation. The century plant, classed by botanists as a lily, shares promptly and by their good work saved 'he honors and is perhaps more remarkable, for nobody ever heard of a and the blacksmith shop. A few of lily growing without water until the the wires of the city light plant as century plant worked its way into the lass somehow

It is called the century plant because it is thought to bloom but once 'n 100 years. This is declared by the botanists to be a fable of the gardeners, although it must reach a considerable age before blooming.

On the San Augustine ranch of W. W. Cox, on the east side of the Organ mountains, twenty-five miles from Las Cruces, are a trio of these century plants blooming in the front yard of the Cox ranch house. Mr. Cox, who is an old cattleman of the Organ country, has lived there for the past twenty-five years, and declares that when he went to New Mexico from the Uvalde country of Texas, the plants were then of mature size. It is a favorite joke of his to tell some tenderfoot from the east, who is enjoying the southern hospitality of the Cox ranch, that he planted the cen-

tury plants in his dooryard when he

first came to the Organ country. The plants in the Cox yard ar now in full bloom, and while there is little of beauty about the flowers, it is one of the most interesting sights of the desert country to see the old plant making the last desperate effort to live again through its seedlings by running up a stalk in which blossoms the seed pod. After the century plant blooms it soon dies, for its mission in life, to perpetuate the species, has been accomplished, and its thick, fleshy leaves begin to turn yellow and The century plant is called the agave plant by botanists, after Agave. the mother of King Pentheus of Thebes, and the meaning of the word is

to be high born or aristocratic. The near the ground. When the time comes for it to bloom, a fibrous stalk appears in the centre of the cluster est one in the Cox yard is said by him to be forty feet from the base to the bloom. The stem is bigger than a telegraph pole. The bloom spreads

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for the collection of STATE, COUNTY, SCHOOL AND LOCAL TAXES for the fiscal year 1908, without penalty: after the start of the collection of STATE, country, school and the collection of STATE, country, school and the community, about the collection of STATE, country, school and the community, about the collection of STATE, country, school and the community, about the collection of STATE, country, school and school and school and school and school and school and school will be added to all payments made in the month of JANUARY, 1909 and TWO PER CENT penalty for all payments made in the month of FEBRU-ARY, 1909, and SEVEN PER CENT penalty will be added on all payments made from the 1ST DAY OF MARCH, to the 15TH DAY OF MARCH, 1909, Polls will be turned over to the severa Magistrates for prosecution in accord-

ance with law. For the convenience of taxpayers, I will attend at the following places on And at Yorkville from Monday, Nopenalties will attach as stated above. H. A. D. NEELY,

County Treasurer.

tion, any of which will produce a bale to the acre; joins the lands of J. B. Scott; I mile Delphos church and high school. Land of H. R. Merritt.

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7 Acres-Good land, a new cottage; ar Tirzah. \$450.00. I especially cail attention to W. Stewart's place, near Winthrop places, and all necessary outbuildings. ollege; and also 235 acres four miles | 55 acres in cultivation, 15 acres in rail

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Newport-\$10 per Acre. 38 Acres—Adjoins lands Wm. Barnes, the incorporation of Clover; 5-room 13 acres timber, 3 acres fine bottoms. house; barn shedded on 3 sides, stalegain—\$500, terms to suit. bles; 2 branches, one tenant house; 50 nesidence-One 6-room house of S. acres in cultivation. At a bargain-for Biacκ; 35 acres in cultivation; joins quick sale.
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The home of T. C. Alexander—621 icres, 3 miles of Smyrna Station, one 70 acres in open land, balance in woods nile of New Zion church and school: 45 acres in cultivation, 4 acres good

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TAX RETURNS FOR 1908.

Office of the County Auditor of York County, South Carolina. Yorkville, S. C., Dec. 1, 1908. S required by statute my books A will be opened at my office in rorkville on FRIDAY, JANUARY 1, 1909, and kept open until FEBRUARY 20, 1909, for the purpose of listing for taxation all TAXABLE PROPERTY held in York County on January 1, 1909.

Returns made on proper bianks, and sworn to before an officer quaified to administer an oath and forwarded to me by registered mail before February 20, 1909, will be accepted. All taxpayers are particularly requested to inform themselves as to the umber of their respective school districts, and where they have property more than one school district, they will please make separate returns in dicating the location of each piece of property. The school districts in which there are special levies are as follows: No. 23 in Bethel; Nos. 29 and 33 in Bethesda; Nos. 9, 20 and 40 in Broad River: Nos. 9 and 20 in Bullock's Creek No. 12 in Catawba; Nos. 7 and 12 in

Ebenezer; Nos. 26, 28 and 39 in Fort Mill; Nos. 11, 20, 33 and 35 in York. For the purpose of facilitating the taking of returns, and for the greater convenience of tax payers, I will be at the following places on the dates named:
At Bethany—(McGill's Store)—on
Friday, January 1.
At Piedmont, Saturday, January 2.
At Clover, Tuesday and Wednesday,

anuary 5th and 6th. At Bethel—(S. A. Glenn & Co.) hursday, January 7. At Bandana—(Perry Ferguson's)— Friday, January 8.
At Point—(Harper's)—Saturday, Jan-At Smyrna, Monday, January 11.
At Hickory Grove, Tuesday and
Wednesday, January 12 and 13.
At Sharen, Thursday and Friday,

anuary 14 and 15. At Bullock's Creek, Saturday, Jan-Tirzah, Monday, January 18. At Newport, Tuesday, January 19.
At Fort Mill, Wednesday, Thursday
and Friday, January 20, 21 and 22.
At McConnellsville, Monday, Jan-

At Ogden, Tuesday, January 26. At Coates's Tavern—(Roddey's)— Wednesday, January 27. At Rock Hill, Thursday and Friday, January 28 and 29, and from Tuesday, February 2 to Friday, February 5. All males between the ages of twen-ty-one and sixty years, except Confederate soldiers over the age of fifty years, are liable to a poll tax of \$1, and all persons so liable are especially requested to give the numbers of their espective school districts in making heir returns. It will be a matter of much accomnodation to me if as many taxpayers

as possible will meet me at the res-pective appointments, mentioned above so as to avoid the rush at Yorkville during the closing days. My office in Yorkville will be open every week day from January 1, to February 20, inclusive, and returns nay be made there at any time.

JOHN J. HUNTER, Yorkville, S. C., Dec. 1, 1908.

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